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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Sang Ick LEE et al.

Serial No.: 09/994,284

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For: METHOD OF FORMING METAL

GATE IN SEMICONDUCTOR

DEVICE

Group Art Unit: 2823

Examiner: Pham, Thanh V.

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136 (a))

Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time for a period of one month in which to respond to the Official Action dated March 25, 2003, extending the period for response from June 25, 2003 until July 25, 2003.

Enclosed please find a check in payment of the Fee for this Petition for an Extension of Time for two months, total in the amount of \$110.00. If there are any additional fees, please charge Deposit Account No. 12-0400.

Respectfully submitted,

July 17, 2003

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